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PANEL TWO (05.04-02): FURNISHING OF OPERATIONAL DOCUMENTATION
ON LENINGRAD TERMINAL OPERATION SYSTEM

REF: STATE 3739.

1. LEVTONOV, SCST, 9 JANUARY PROMISED TO EMBOFF THAT DOCUMENTATION ON SUBJECT SYSTEM IS NOW BEING COMPLETED AND WILL BE FURNISHED TO EMBASSY FOR TRANSMISSION TO FAA ALMOST CERTAINLY WITHIN TWO WEEKS, AND ABSOLUTELY CERTAINLY BEFORE END OF JANUARY. IN VIEW OF THIS PROMISE, GUIDANCE IS SOUGHT ON WHETHER MESSAGE FOR ANODINA (REFTEL A, PARA 1) SHOULD BE CONVEYED NOW OR HELD AWAITING SOVIET RESPONSE.

2. BEGIN FYI. EMBOFF 9 JANUARY CONTACTED LEVTONOV AND REQUESTED BY END OF DAY STATUS REPORT ON DOCUMENTATION ON LENINGRAD TERMINAL AUTOMATION SYSTEM, WHICH LEVTONOV AND EMBOFF HAD PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED. LEVTONOV SOUGHT REASON FOR URGENCY OF EMBOFF'S REQUEST, AND WAS INFORMED THAT FAA HAS BEGUN AWAITING THIS PROMISED INFORMATION SINCE JUNE OF 1975. FURTHERMORE, WORKING GROUP CHAIRMAN EXPRESSED THIS CONCERN TO ANODINA IN NOVEMBER IN WASHINGTON, AND EMBOFF HAS ALSO PRESSED THIS CONCERN TO LEVTONOV. NO INFORMATION OR EVEN RESPONSE HAS BEEN RECEIVED,
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AND EMBOFF IS NOW IN A POSITION WHERE EITHER (A) IMMINENT

DELIVERY OF THE DOCUMENTATION OR (B) THE RESULTS OF A MEETING HELD TO DISCUSS THE PROBLEM MUST BE REPORTED TO WASHINGTON. EMBOFF EXPLAINED TO LEVTONOV THAT IF MEETING IS HELD, A NON-PAPER WOULD BE LEFT WITH SOVIETS. EMBOFF CONCLUDED WITH COMMENT THAT HE WOULD MUCH PREFER TO REPORT SOVIET COMPLIANCE WITH THE AGREEMENT THAN RESULTS OF A MEETING HELD TO DISCUSS NON-COMPLIANCE ON THIS ITEM. LEVTONOV PROMISED TO DETERMINE STATUS AND ADVISE.

3. LEVTONOV REPORTED AFTERNOON 9 JANUARY THAT ANODINA CONFIRMS THAT PREPARATION OF SUBJECT DOCUMENTATION IS UNDER WAY AND IS ALMOST COMPLETE, AND THAT IT WILL BE DELIVERED TO EMBASSY SHORTLY, "WITHIN TWO WEEKS." EMBOFF REQUESTED CONFIRMATION THAT DELIVERY WOULD BE ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN BEFORE THE END OF JANUARY. LEVTONOV RESPONDED THAT IT WILL BE. LEVTONOV REQUESTED THAT US SIDE UNDERSTAND THAT THE LENINGRAD AUTOMATED SYSTEM IS AN EXPERIMENTAL PROTOTYPE AND IS IN OPERATION FOR THE FIRST TIME. HE CONTINUED THAT MANY OF THE MATERIALS AND COMPONENTS ARE UNIQUE, DESIGNED AND BUILT EXPRESSLY FOR THIS SYSTEM. THUS DOCUMENTATION DID NOT EXIST AND HAS TO BE WRITTEN "FROM SCRATCH". LEVTONOV CONCLUDED THAT SPECIAL EFFORTS ARE BEING MADE TO FINISH UP THE DOCUMENTATION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE SO THAT IT CAN BE PROVIDED TO EMBASSY.

4. EMBOFF HAS SENT LETTER TO LEVTONOV CONFIRMING UNDERSTANDING THAT THE DOCUMENTATION WILL BE PROVIDED TO THE EMBASSY IN THE SHORTEST TIME POSSIBLE, AND CERTAINLY BEFORE THE END OF JANUARY. END FYI.

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